TALKING OF 1900

GENERAL WEAVER CONFERS WITH COMMITTEEMAN JOHNSON.

IOWA MAN IS FOR BRYAN

WIL LETTING THE COUNTRY FOR THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

He Says That He Is in Favor of Expansion If It Means War-Judge Johnson Will Raise Democratic Sinews of

War.

A conference was held yesterday in a room at the Baltimore hotel between Gen-eral James B. Weaver, presidential candidate on the Populist ticket in 1882, and Judge J. G. Johnson, Democratic national committeeman from Kansas, who is also

the chairman of the executive board of that committee. General Weaver arrived in Kansas City about noon and repaired at once to the hotel, where the Kansas state committee was in session. He was present during a part of the afternoon at that meeting, but later he and Judge Johnson went into executive session. All that General Weaver would say in reference to his visit here was that he just happened to be going through the city on his way to Colfax, Ia., his home, from the West. Judge Johnson, in his capacity as chairman of the executive

board, has charge of the finances of the

Democratic party, and it is a portion of

his duty to get the money with which campaigns are managed. In an interview with

a reporter for The Journal, General Weaver

stated that he would stump the country for the Democratic nominee during the next presidential campaign and it is said that his conference with Judge Johnson was in reference to this. "No," said General Weaver in reply to a question, "I am not a candidate for any office, but I have always been an active worker and I shall be in the thick of the

fight during the coming campaign."
"Will you take the stump for Mr I will do as I have always done-take the stump for the nominee of the party. The united Democracy is fortunate in havman like Mr. Bryan at its head to lead them on to victory and there is no doubt in my mind that he will be the nominee, A better man and a more capable

leader could not be chosen. "Upon what issue will the Democracy make its fight during the coming cam-

"I do not care to talk about the issues of the campaign now, but I will say that in my opinion the Chicago platform will be reaffirmed. Will silver be the dominant issue, or

will it be expansion "I cannot say; I don't care to discuss that question at all.

What are your personal views on these questions? Are you an expansionist?" "What do you mean by expansion? The term is ambiguous.

Possession of the Philippines, for in stance. You have no doubt heard that Governor Jones, of Arkansas, has come out

contributions. The work of raising the fund will begin within the next three months, according to the plans which will be finally decided upon at the national committee meeting in Washington early in the year. It is proposed to follow the Harvey plan, which was found to be proin the year. It is proposed to follow the Harvey plan, which was found to be productive of results during the last campaign. This plan is to have each contributor to the fund pledge himself to give a certain amount, payable in monthly installments. The national committee will not rest until it has obtained pledges enough to go far beyond the contemplated expense of the campaign, as there is always a considerable loss in uncollected pledges. By pursuing this plan the committee expects to come out about even. The campaign will be much more expensive than usual, and hence the work of getting contributions will begin unusually early. Judge Johnson stated also that the press bureau, which is in charge of Sam B. Cook, chairman of the Missouri state Democratic committee, was preparing for an active campaign. Column after column of matter is being furnished the "plate factories" for the country press and a series of weekly press bulletins has been inaugurated.

Judge Johnson left last night for Chicago, where he will confer with the Illinois members of the national committee.

Our Auestion -U-Corner

Look in this comer to-morrow morning. We give three interesting questions daily. answers to the following questions will be published to-morrow:

1. Which is the smallest battleship of the U. S. navy?

2. When and by whom was the fifth satellite of Jupiter discovered? 3. How does the whistling buoy

The following are the answers to yesterday's questions. They are taken from the America

Dictionary and Cyclopedia: In 1879 Edison attacked the double problem: How to make a lamp to give a definite candle power, and how to produce and distribute a cur-cent for lighting in a commercial way. He suc-

The bubonic plague made its first appearance in Europe A. D. 554 at Constantinopie.

J. The island of Guam is called also Guabon and Sar

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TRIAL TRIP SATISFACTORY. Regular Service on the Grand Avenue Extension of the Fifth Street

Line Begins To-day.

Regular service on the Grand avenue ex tension of the Fifth street and Northeast electric lines will begin this morning, and henceforth this service will be continued. A trial trip was made over the line yesterday from Thirteenth and Grand avenue to Fifth and Grand avenue, one of the new cars carrying several of the officers of the Metropolitan system, including President Walton B. Holmes, made the trip. Every-thing worked to the utmost satisfaction of thing worked to the utmost satisfaction of the company. The new cars are twenty-one feet long, being somewhat smaller than many of the other electric cars used in the city, for the reason that the new line has some bad grades. By the change that some bad grades. By the change that takes effect to-day the Fifth street cars that now stop at Fifth and Main streets will go on uptown by way of Grand avenue to Thirteenth street, thus affording a continuous passage from Kansas City, Kas., to the heart of the shopping district of this city.

The Northeast cars will also continue to Thirteenth and Grand avenue, affording the residents of the East side the same the residents of the East side the same privileges of reaching the shopping district as those who live on other lines of the Metropolitan system. As soon as the old Brooklyn line is transformed into an electric line, which will be completed early next week, cars on that line will enter Grand avenue on Tenth street and go north to Fifth street, with transfer privileges to the Fifth street, with transfer privileges to the Fifth street and the Northeast lines, To-day, under the new arrangement, begins service on what is the longest continuous car line that has ever been operated in Kansas City,—that from Thirteenth and Grand to the city limits of Kansas City, Kas.

ON THE MARKET.

Exceptional Scarcity of Game, Owing Partly to the Recent Poor Shipping Weather.

Not since the game season opened has there been such a scarcity of wild birds on the Kansas City market as at present. Old men say that the time from Thanksgiving until Christmas is always a poor season for game, and this year has thus far proved no exception. There is a lack of demand for all kinds of game, and in favor of expansion?"

"If you mean the taking in of new territory by the United States at the request of those over whom we are extending our dominion, then I am in favor of expansion. If it means war—the murder of innocent natives, the burning of their homes and the devastation of their land, then I am not in favor of expansion. If it's a peaceful extension of territory, all right—that is the kind of expansion I believe Governor Jones is in favor of. I think the administration has all it can carry on all of these questions and is doomed to defeat the decided deficit of game itself, partly because of the poor shipping weather of these and decided deficit of game itself, partly because of the poor shipping weather of these are deficit of game itself, partly because of the poor shipping weather of these are deficit of game itself, partly because of the poor shipping weather of the past week and because of the scarcity of game in the country generally. There are fewer maliard ducks on sale in Kansas City than during any game season for five years, according to one dealer. Quali self for 15 cents each, partire chickens for each and squifreds 10 and 15 cents aplece for either cottontalls or jacks. In the department of domestic fowl are turkey gobbiers for II cents a pound, hen turkey at 12½ cents, chicken hens at 10 cents and springs at 11 cents. Domestic ducks sell for II cents and geese 10 cents.

these questions and is doomed to defeat at the coming election. I am against the administration in this fight!"

It will take a great deal of money to run the next Democratic national campaign, and to Judge Johnson falls the burden of raising the required amount. In discussing the matter with a number of politicians the matter with a number of politicians yesterday he stated that from \$5,000 to \$100,000 would be required from every state in the Union. Missouri, while it will not be in the \$100,000 class, will be far above the minimum, and the moneyed Democrats of the state will be asked to make liberal with a for 2 cents a bushel. Cabbage still sells for 2 cents a pound.

Mr. Zola's Sunday Menn

The Zola menu for to-morrow's dinner for a family of five is one of the easiest in point of the work necessary for its preparation of any that the super-intendent of the Kansas City Club has yet given to intendent of the Kansas City Club has yet given to The Journal. The articles mentioned require no explanation as to their method of preparation, the fried chicken, Maryland style, being known to every housekeeper. The following is this week's menu:

Oysters on the half shell.

Mutton broth with harley. Celery. Pickles. Bruiled smelts with parsley sauce.

Fried chicken, Maryland style. Julienne potatoes.

Cauliflower in cream.

Cold asparagus. Vinaigrette zauce.

Banana fritters, rum sauce. Coffee.

ASKS FOR \$50,000.

Damage Suit of Lora Marquis Against the City is On in Judge Gates' Court.

The hearing of the suit of Lora Marquis against Kansas City for \$50,000 damages for personal injuries sustained in a fall from a sidewalk across a ravine was continued before Judge Gates yesterday. The plaintiff in the case, who walks on crutches and has to be supported to and from the courtroom, gave her evidence in the afternoon and almost collapsed from weakness while on the stand. Dr. J. T. Craig, who attended her, was obliged to administer restoratives and Judge Gates allowed her testimony to be interrupted while she left the room to rest. Elighteen special jurors were summoned to try this case and the plaintiff and defendant were therefore entitled to three challenges each. After the jurors were summoned two well known business men who were included in the twelve selected were subpocased by the plaintiff and were therefore rendered incompetent to try the case. By such a course the plaincontinued before Judge Gates yesterday.

try the case. By such a course the plain-tiff would practically gain the advantage of five challenges instead of the three properly allowed. The men subpoenaed claim that they know nothing of the case.

"MUNICIPAL SOCIALISM."

Subject Under Which Mr. Beardsley Will Discuss City Ownership of Large Plant. An interesting paper will be read before

the Bar Association to-night by H. M. Beardsley, on the subject of "Municipal Socialism." He will consider very thoroughly the question of city ownership of all public the question of city ownership of all public ntilities, such as street railways, telephones, gas, etc. The city now owns its own water works plant. Mr. Beardsley will discuss the advisability and practicability of owning all other property in which the public is so generally interested. As Mr. Beardsley is a candidate for mayor, his paper is expected to be doubly interesting. Judge C. O. Tichenor, chairman of the committee appointed to consider the advisability of amending the city charter so as to make it conform to the tax bill decielon in the supreme court in the case of Norwood vs. Baker, will make a report. As this will probably be the last meeting before the annual bar banquet, arrangements will be made for that event.

Why Not Spend Christmas and New

Year's at Home! The Nickel Plate road will sell tickets to any point located in Central Passenger Association territory at a fare and a third for the round trip, account of Christmas and New Year holidays, on December 23, 24, 25, 29 and 31, 1889, and January 1, with return limit to and including January 2, 1860. Students, upon presentation of proper credentials, can obtain tickets at same rate, with liberal return limit. Complete information may be secured by calling on or addressing the general agent, No. 111 Adams street, Chicago. The Nickel Plate road will sell tickets to

THEY LEARN MUCH

WOMEN OF THE ATHENAEUM VISIT THE QUINDARO PLANT.

SUPT. LONGWELL EXPLAINS OPERA-TION OF THE SYSTEM.

Problems-Preliminary to Meeting Next Wednesday-Several Aldermen and Officials Went on Excursion.

Nearly 100 interested people boarded the pecial train for Quindaro at the Union station a little after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The men were the members of he city council, the women members of Kansas City's progressive club, the Atheneum. The train was the Missouri Pacific. the use of which had been kindly donated by that company for this excursion. Mr. D. W. Longwell, superintendent of the water works, was host for the occasion, and performed well the duties which devolved upon him of explaining to his guests how the water which runs through Kansas City homes is caught and piped to the city. They wanted to know many things-and they found them out, too, before the journey ended.

At Quindaro the party was first taken to the banks of the muddy Missouri, where the pipes which suck in the water can be seen. That was the beginning of the object les-son which lasted the remainder of the af

For those unfamiliar with machinery and physics, the matter of understanding the water works system is not altogether easy. But by intelligent questioning and careful explanation a few general principles of the matter were made plain to all before the day ended. The club women now know, as many of them didn't before, that the water is drawn in from the river by suction caused by the power from the power house situated a few rods from the river bank. It is emptied into a large reservoir of four basins, covering seven acres of ground and containing 60,000,000 gallons of water. As it passes through each of these basins it is gradually purified, and the impure matter skimmed off at the top until, reaching the last basin, it is perfectly fit for domestic This was as far as the lesson proceeded while the party remained at Quin-

From the reservoir at Quindaro the water s pumped into another equally large one at Turkey creek. From there it is pumped into the pipes bringing it to the city. The party returned from Quindaro, transferred to the tracks of the Memphis road with the compliments of this company, and were taken to Turkey creek. The chief point of interest here was the machinery that furnishes the power that makes the water 'run up hill.'

This excursion was one of investigation preliminary to a discussion of pure water. which will take place in the Athenaeum next Wednesday afternoon, and to which everyone is invited. The matter of sewer age and public baths and laundries under the general topic of "Public Health," will also be discussed. The speakers will be D. W. Longwell, Walter C. Root, Frank A. Faxon and Dr. Eliza Mitchell, and S. H. H. Clark, of the Missouri Pacific.

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There were present in the party yesterday S. H. H. Clark, of the Missouri Pacific; Councilman O. H. Swearingen, Frank A. Faxon. of the school board: Alderman E. S. Jewett, Dr. Coffin, city physician; M. V. Watson, of the board of pubac works; Hans Lund, city comptroller; Alderman A. F. Batt, Alderman John T. Seddon, Mr. Carson, superintendent of terminals; George B. Wing, superintendent of water works at Kansas City, Kas.; President Graham, of the upper house, and John L. Sickles, engineer of the works at Quindaro. The following were the women in the

The following were the women in the party:

Mrs. Henry N. Ess. Mrs. E. R. Weeks, Mrs. B. S. King, Mrs. Danvokes, Mrs. Longwell, Mrs. O. H. Swearingen, Mrs. Annie Hayden, Mrs. Wilhite, Mrs. Patti Moore, Mrs. D. Kellogg, Mrs. C. E. Hill, Mrs. Patti Moore, Mrs. D. Kellogg, Mrs. C. E. Hill, Mrs. William Prick, Mrs. L. A. Laughlin, Miss Ellis, Mrs. Charles A. Lee, Mrs. E. H. Phelps, Mrs. E. S. Kirk, Mrs. L. A. Miller, Mrs. Hurd, Mrs. Towner, Mrs. N. A. Montford, Mrs. J. C. Beedy, Mrs. J. Freyman, Mrs. David Griffin, Mrs. B. P. Turner, Mrs. W. A. Montford, Mrs. E. D. Hornbrook, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. B. Chapeze, Mrs. Frank Markward, Mrs. George Slade, Mrs. G. O. Coffin, Miss Hess Page, Mrs. W. B. Thayer, Mrs. W. G. Anderson, Mrs. L. B. Anderson, Mrs. Marks, Mrs. E. C. Gates, Mrs. Hyers, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. John C. Tate, Mrs. Hugh McElroy, Mrs. William Chandler, Mrs. D. B. Page, Mrs. J. J. Fonter, Mrs. W. H. Denison, Mrs. Robert Mass, Mrs. F. E. Nettleton, Mrs. Virginia Lee, Mrs. A. J. Rhodes, Mrs. Jesse Edwards, Mrs. W. H. Wakefield, Mrs. W. S. Wheeler, Mrs. W. W. Morse, Miss A. M. Bodman, Mrs. J. Hampson, Mrs. Cora W. Lyman, Mrs. George Loomis, Mrs. William Leitch, Mrs. R. H. Manning, Mrs. A. C. Brundage, Mrs. R. M. Gloyd, Mrs. G. M. Walden, Mrs. John S. Welch, Mrs. P. D. Hidenour, Miss Ridenour, Mrs. Milton Campbell, Mrs. A. E. Pinkney, Mrs. F. A. Orr.

READY FOR BUSINESS.

Shippers' Commission Company Or ganized by ex-Congressman Peters Elects Officers.

The Shippers' Commission Company that was organized some time ago by ex-Congressman M. S. Peters is now ready for business. The majority of the stockholders met yesterday at the stock yards and elected the following officers: President, M. S. Peters; vice president, F. Steuwe M. S. Peters; vice president, F. Steuwe, Alma, Kas.; treasurer, G. F. Goode, Olathe, Kas.; nuditor, John W. Breidenthal, Topeka, Kas. The following is the board of directors: Paul Russell, Paola, Kas.: John Mitchell, Kansas City; George Williams, Gallatin, Mo.; G. W. Houts, Warrensburg, Mo.: Frank E. Rose, Wamego, Kas., and L. C. Stine, Ottawa, Kas.

The company has purchased a company now doing business at St. Joseph, and an office will be opened next week at the Live Stock exchange in this city. The company will be capitalized at \$100,000. The capital stock will be increased within a short time to \$200,000.

For holiday vacations can, upon presentation of proper credentials, obtain tickets to
Central Passenger Association points located on the Nickel Plate road, at a fare
and a third for the round trip. Tickets
will be sold on day school closes and day
immediately preceding closing date, with
return limit to and including day school
reconvenes, but not later than January 10,
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GREAT STRASBURG CLOCK.

tabbt Mayer's Interesting Talk t the Puipls of the Central High

School Yesterday Morning. Rabbi Mayer talked to the pupils of the Central high school yesterday morning at their weekly entertainment on "The Strasburg Clock." The rabbi is a fine speaker and held the closest attention of his audi-HOW WATER RUNS UPHILL ence during his talk. The clock is one of the oldest in the world, dating back as early as the middle of the fourteenth century. It is in a way, however, like the old doll that has had a new head at one time, new arms at another, and finally an entire new body, but still remained the same doll. The clock itself is the third one that has been placed in the cathedral. The first one kept its place for about 200 years, when something got out of order and as no one could fix it, it was taken down; the second one occupied the opposite side of the transept from the present one.

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This last one is only about seventy-five years old. The most remarkable thing about this clock is that it is self-regulating. On New Year's, or St. Sylvester's, eve, as it used to be called, there is a great whirring and buzzing in the old clock, and when this has ceased the clock is regulated. It used to be that on St. Sylvester's eve the good people of Strasburg would gather by the thousands when the old clock readjust itself for another year's work, and look up in awed silence at this wonderful masterpiece, almost divine to them, but the crowds grew so dense each year that the gatherings were finally prohibited.

There are six tiers of the clock's structure. The first tier, or face, shows the sun and stars in a firmament of blue. These move as do the stars in the heavens. On the second tier is the charlot of the sun, which makes its circuit once in every twenty-four hours. On the third tier is the clock itself, much smaller than its great setting. Above this are two chubby little angels belonging to the Renaissance period and looking strangely out of place among their majestic surroundings. One of the angels hold an hourglass in his

among their majestic surroundings. One of the angels hold an hourglass in his hand and the other a hammer. Still above these is a dial plate, which represents the hand and the other a hammer. Still above these is a dial plate, which represents the days, weeks and months. Above this is a skeleton representing Death, and past this figure pass hourly four others, one at each quarter of the hour, the first one infancy, the second childhood, the third middle age and the fourth old age. The clock strikes as each figure passes. When the child appears the angel below does the striking with his hammer. Youth, manhood and old age each strike a note as they pass by, and when the hour is ended the second angel down below slowly turns his hourglass over in his hands.

On the next tier stands an image of Jesus surrounded by the twelve apostles. These appear but once a day, just at 12, when each passes slowly before the Master, and He raises His hand and blesses them.

After these have disappeared there is revealed the oldest existing part of the clock, and that is the great rooster, that appears and makes the harsh and discordant noise supposed to be a crow. It has probably looked down upon the streets below for some 500 years.

Miss Blanche Vandegrift, one of Cen-

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tral's pupils, rendered a piano solo in an especially charming and creditable manner, and Victor Barnett, another pupil, recited "The Victory of Marengo" in a stirring and impressive manner. The programme was finished a little before time, and the little per columnia in the programme was finished a little before time, and the listeners clamored loudly for more, but did not get it, and, after a standing vote of thanks, were dismissed.

DEMAND BETTER SERVICE.

eventh Ward Citizens Adopt Resolutions for Improvement on the Northeast Electric.

A meeting of Seventh ward citizens wa held at Lexington and Park last night. J. W. Jenkins acted as chairman and F. W Craig as secretary: T. B. Buckner, L. B. Sawyer, L. Traber, F. A. Leach and W. N. McDearmon were appointed to carry out the demands of the following resolutions:

the demands of the following resolutions:
Whereas, We, the citizens of the Seventh ward, in mass meeting assembled, have read with pleasure the proceedings of the meeting of the citizens of the Fourteenth ward, and the resolutions adopted by said meeting. Therefore be it
Resolved, That we heartily approve everything contained in said resolutions, having reference to the Northeast Electric Street Railway Company, and we hereby call upon the mayor, common council and the legal department of this city to see that the terms of the franchise recently granted to said company be compiled with at once.

The service rendered is absolutely abominable. When the old cars were running ten cars ran regularly upon said line. Since the new cars were put on, which said new cars are of the poorest design and of the cheapest pattern, often only seven cars are run, and they are sometimes as much as ten minutes apart. Men, women and children are crowded in like sardines in a box, or hogs in a freight car, in such a manner that it is often indecent for ladies to ride therein. We are not cattle, mules, sheep or hogs, to be thus treated, and we protest against being treated as such.

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We want more cars and of a better pattern; we want them to run on a schedule time, of not exceeding five minutes apart; we want an uptown terminus; we want the dangerous and unsightly bridge crossing the canon immediately replaced by such a one as is required by the franchise; we want cars arranged for people to sit in with some degree of comfort, and not cars arranged for standing space only; we demand that the present pattern of cars be absolutely prohibited, as not coming up to the standard called for in the franchise.

If these reasonable demands are not at once complied with we demand that immediate steps be taken to forfeit the franchise, and in this endeavor taken to forfeit the franchise, and in this endea, we call upon all the citizens of the Seventh ward.

NOT A GOOD TRANSLATION. Dr. C. L. Hungerford Protests Against

the Manner in Which the Bible Has Been Rendered. Few people who read translations works in foreign tongues realize the skill and adaptability required to render into English. Much of this was the matter brought up for discussion at the meeting of the Greenwood Club last night, by Miss Ruby Archer's paper upon "Some Trans-lators and Their Works." Miss Archer lators and Their Works." Miss Archer gave an able sketch of the work done in the field of translation, illustrating her remarks by reading passages in the original language and then translations.

She said that the first characteristic of a good translation was sympathy with the thought to be translated. Judged from this standpoint she showed how Dryden's translation of the Iliad, and Pope's Homer were mere jingles instead of fair representations of the authors they translated. She commented favorably upon Leigh Hunt's version of "Tasso" and Longfellow's translation.

The discussion that followed turned upon the translation of the Bible. Dr. C. L. Hungerford protested against the modern translated Bible on the ground that it is not a fair representation of the inspired original.

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W. W. Morgan, Miss Esther Crowe, I. W. Gilruth and Superintendent Greenwood took part in the discussion.

At the meeting of the club next Friday night W. H. Williams will read a paper on "Nineteenth Century Night." Many Petty Thefts Reported.

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Much petty stealing is reported. Yesterday morning A. M. Vigus, of 541 Locuat street, reported to the police that his chicken coop had been visited by lovera of poultry and several fine chickens borne off to grace a dinner table.

G. B. Jennings, of Raytown, Mo., reported that thieves visited his han roost and about 100 full grown chickens and forty brollers were missing when he counted up yesterday morning. He had been expecting that the excellency of his brood would attract lovers of "yellow legs" and so he had a stread of yellow paint daubed on all of his poultry.

D. E. Strickler, of 1616 Charlotte street, reported that his house was entered early on the morning of December 2 and 131.25 in money stolen. He stated to the police that he suspected a man who hangs around a Ninth street theater as the culprit.

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Wants to Plead Guilty Now.

"Red" Walker, a notorious burglar, will be tried in the criminal court near Monday mont indictments, charging him with four different burglaries. Three weeks ago he refused to pleas guilty and received a sentence of eleven years in the pentientiary. Yesterday, however, he changed his mind and his atterney called at the prosecuting attorney's office to accept the offer.

"You are ten late now." "Red" Watker, a notorious burglar, will be tried "You are too late now." replied Assistant Prose-itor T. A. J. Mastin. "We refuse to let him off cutor T. A. J. Mastin. "We refuse to let him off with less than fifteen years now." Walker was recently paroled from the Illinois re-form school, where he had served three years of a twenty-one year settence for burglary.

It will not be a surprise to any who are at all familiar with the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to know that eople everywhere take pleasure in relatng their experience in the use of that plendid medicine and in telling of the benfit they have received from it, of bad colds t has cured, of threatened attacks of pneumonia it has averted and of the children it has saved from attacks of the croup and whooping cough. It is a grand, good medi-

UNIFORMITY OF QUARANTINE REG-ULATIONS DECIDED UPON.

Representatives From the Various Western Cattle States in Session at the Midland-Texas Fever Discussed.

Uniformity of quarantine regulations is to be brought about in Missouri, Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona. This was decided upon last night at a meeting at the Midland hotel of representatives from the various live stock boards of those states. These representa-tives organized the Western Live Stock Sanitary Association and framed a uniformty resolution to be acted upon by the several boards at their next time of meeting. The Missouri board meets December 19, and will take action on the resolution then.

The meeting was organized by the elec-

tion of W. B. Tullis, of Texas, as tem porary chairman, and W. H. Jack, of New Mexico, temporary secretary. After discussion it was decided to form an organization in accordance with the following reso-lutions, which were adopted:

Whereas, The necessity is known to exist for more concerted action on the part of the states and territories, in order to secure immunity from Southern fever or other contagious or infectious diseases, by enforcing uniform restrictions and the adoption of uniform regulations concerning inspection of cattle crossing or attempting to cross the national quarantine; therefore, it is hereby.

Resolved, That the name of this organization shall be the Western Live Stork Soutrey Association. Resolved, That the name of this organization shall be the Western Live Stock Sanitary Association; that the membership of this body shall be composed of the live stock sanitary commissions of the states of Texas, Kansas and Missouri, and the territories of Oklahoma; J. R. Rippey, H. J. Waters, W. R. secretaries of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas and the Oklahoma Live Stock Association of Oklahoma.

It is also further arread barely that no cattle form

It is also further agreed hereby that no cattle from any source, bearing Southern fever ticks, will be admitted to any part of the territory governed or represented in this association, north of the quarantine line established by the United States department of agriculture, at any season of the year.

TAYLOR RIDDLE,
W. H. JACK,
W. J. WATERS,
J. R. RIPPEY.

The meeting adjourned to reconvene this morning at the Live Stock exchange, when further action will be taken.

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Those present were:

W. B. Tullis, of Texas; Taylor Riddle, and M. C.
Campbell, of Kansas; W. H. Jack, of New Mexico;
Inspector J. W. Hamilton, of Kansas; W. E. Bolton,
of Oklahoma; J. R. Rippey, H. J. Waters, W. R.
Wilkinson, D. A. Ely, J. W. Hill, of Missouri, and
Colonel Albert Dean and W. A. Anderson, of Kansas City.

have been inoculated with the tick blood, just as one might be vaccinated for small-pox. In this way only 8 per cent of the cattle shipped into the fever region has died, while formerly 80 per cent died.

After the state boards have considered the matter of uniform regulations, and it is expected that they will meet for that purpose without delay, the interstate board which met last night will meet again and ratify the decision.

See us for Christmas novelties. Kreitz. ABOUT SOME PEOPLE.

A. F. Potter, of St. Johns, A. T., is in the city. A. F. Huse, of Arkansas City, Kas., is in the city

E. S. Searcomb, of Jefferson, Ia., is a Kansas City F. M. Overlees, of Burtlesville, I. T., is in th Among the visitors yesterday were Richard Rollins and wife, of lowa.

J. J. McClure, of Marshall, Mo., was a Kansas H. E. Hoover, of Canadian, Tex., was a Kansas City visitor yesterday. Among the foreigners in Kansas City yesterday was F. G. Beuttell, of London, England.

Among the Kansas merchants in the city yester day were D. Moore and A. Majora, of Garnet. Among the visiting merchants yesterday were E. V. Bailey and L. N. French, of Baileyville, Kas. John R. Wilson, a prominent stockman from Ablene, Tex., was a Kansas City visitor yesterday. J. A. Fullerton and F. H. Sennott, real estate mer from St. Joseph, were in Kansas City yesterday. Among the visiting merchants in the city yester tay was Alexander Warner, of Baxter Springs, Kas.

John Sullivan, of Jefferson City, arrived yesterday

J. R. Burton, of Kanras, spent yesterday in the city attending to some legal business. He left las-night for Washington. S. G. Hill, of Chicago, was in Kansas City yes terday en route home from Port Arthur, Tex., wher he has just purchased 2,400 acres of land.

A. H. Barrett and wife. Miss Mauryne Barrett and C. Boyd Hammond, of Butte, Mont., are in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Barrett are on their wedding trip. Superintendent Greenwood will go to Louisiana this month where he will deliver a lecture before the State Teachers' Association at Shreveport on the 28th. John C. Hughes, who registered from Scattle, Wash, has just returned from the Klondike with precious little gold, he says, but a bad case of eczema.

Among the visitors yesterday was Max Morris, of Denver, a member of the Colorado legislature an high in the councils of the American Federation of Labor. Mrs. Morris accompanied her husband, L. P. Sigsbee, brother of the famous Captain Sigsbee, of the ill-fated battleship Maine, is in the city Mr. Sigsbee, who resembles his distinguished brother greatly, travels for a New York house and makes frequent visits to Kaness City.

An early morning train brought F. Hopkinson Smith, the author, to Kanses City. After spending several hours here he left for Emporia, Kas., where he is billed to lecture. "Colonel Carter, of Cartersville," and other popular novels are from his pen. Taylor Riddle, in addition to being chairman of the Taylor Hiddle, in addition to being chairman of the Kansas state live stock board, is also at the head of the Populist central committee. While in Kansas City he paid a visit to the meeting of the Democratic state committee. Mr. Riddle stated that nothing had been done toward the next campaign by the Kansas Populists, but that a meeting of the state committee would be held December 27.

Hjalmar Colleen was in Kansas City yesterday of Hjalmar Colleen was in Kansas City yesterday on his return to Montana after nearly four years in the gold fields of South Africa. "If England gets hold of the Transvaal, which God forbid," said Colleen. "wages in the gold fields will drop below a living standard. English capital wants power that it may get labor for nothing." Colleen has been an amaigamator in the mill of the Roodeport United Main Reef Gold Mining Company, at Johannesburg. He left there in August, when the mines were closed down.

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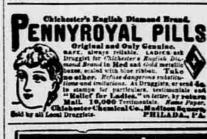


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